

**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO  
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Docket No.  
00280587AA

In Re Application Of: **Baseman et al.**

Serial No.  
09/731,772

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Invention: **Value-Based Framework for Inventory Management**

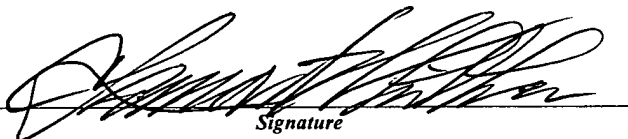
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